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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant: HADDADA ET AL. Examiner: UNKNOWN  
Serial No.: 09/204,427 Group Art Unit: 1632  
Filed: DECEMBER 3, 1998 Docket: 8076.102USC1  
Title: DEFECTIVE RECOMBINANT ADENOVIRUSES EXPRESSING CYTOKINES FOR  
ANTITUMOR TREATMENT

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By: Patricia Cygan  
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Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

We are transmitting herewith the attached:

- ☒ Transmittal Sheet in duplicate containing Certificate of Mailing
- ☒ Other: Supplemental Preliminary Amendment
- ☒ Return postcard

Please consider this a PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME for a sufficient number of months to enter these papers, if appropriate. Please charge any additional fees or credit overpayment to Deposit Account No. 13-2725. A duplicate of this sheet is enclosed.

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SUPPLEMENTAL PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

Prior to examination on the merits, Applicants offer the following amendment.

In the Specification

Please amend the specification by inserting before the first line the sentence:

—This application is a Continuation of application Serial No.  
(abandoned)  
08/619,157, filed March 21, 1996, which is a Continuation of  
application Serial No. 08/469,773, filed June 6, 1995 (abandoned),  
which is a Continuation of application Serial No. 08/150,011, filed  
January 13, 1994 (abandoned).—

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Issuance of a corrected Official Filing Receipt is earnestly solicited.

Respectfully submitted,

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